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Title

: CONTAINER FOR LONG-TERM STORAGE OF

RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL AND METHOD AND

APPARATUS FOR MANUFACTURING THE CONTAINER

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, enclosed is a completed Form PTO-1449 listing the U.S. and foreign patent documents cited by Applicant. Copies of the foreign patent documents are enclosed.

Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to consider all documents listed in the Information Disclosure Statement in the examination of this application.

Since a first Office Action on this patent application has not yet been received, Applicant believes that no fee is chargeable for the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

However, should any fee be necessary in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement, please debit our Deposit Account No. 18-1743.

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